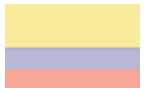


**Latino Behavioral  
Health Institute - LBHI  
17<sup>th</sup> Annual  
Latino Conference**



**September 14, 15, 16, 2011**



**“Advancing Latino  
Behavioral Health:  
From Margin to  
Mainstream”**



**Wilshire Grand Hotel  
930 Wilshire Blvd.  
Los Angeles, CA**



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P.O. Box 1008  
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## CONFERENCE PROGRAM

### CONFERENCE

**September 14, 2011 – Wednesday**

Registration begins at 7:00 a.m.  
Conference 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

**Ed Viramontes - LBHI Board Member - Welcome**

#### Principal Speaker

**Henry Acosta, MA, MSW, LSW**

Executive Director, National Resource Center for Hispanic Mental Health,  
and Chair, Alliance for Latino Behavioral Health Workforce Development

**Gustavo Loera, EdD**

Director of Educational Research and Development  
Mental Health America of Los Angeles

**“Alliance for Latino Behavioral Health Workforce Development:  
A National Movement in the Making”**

#### Plenary Speaker

**Matthew Mock, PhD**

Professor of Psychology/Private Practice, John F. Kennedy University

**“Latinos in Film: Mirrors of the Past, Forecasting of the Future”**

#### Lunch on your own

#### Concurrent Workshops

**Gangs: What Are They? Who Are They? Why Are They? How Do They Think and Feel? And A Strategic Model for Reducing Violence**

*Ron Noblet, BA*

**Collectivist Based Building Healing Connections With Clients. Minimizing Burnout and Completing Work Requirements Psycho Education Materials**

*Jose Cardenas, PsyD*

**Issues in Alcohol and Substance Abuse Among Older Adults**

*José C. Salazar, MPH, PhD*

**Building Healing Connections With Clients. Minimizing Burnout and Completing Work Requirements**

*Christopher Camilleri, MD*

**Treating Depression in Spanish Speaking Parents: A CBT Group Psychotherapy Approach**

*Teresa C. Celada, PhD and Oscar A. Denoso, PhD*

**Empoderando a Los Grupos de Apoyo a Traves del Entrenamiento en Liderazgo (Spanish Session)**

*Julio Celada, MD*

#### Networking

#### Concurrent Workshops

**Addressing the Mental Health Concerns of Latino University Students**

*Gustavo Loera, EdD*

**Free the Limitations Created from Identity, Projection and Pride Through Drumming**

*Steven Angel*

**Problem Gambling Prevention and Treatment Services for the Latino Community**

*Terri Sue Canale and Michael Campos, PhD*

**Assessment of Acculturation Related Stressors Among Latino Adolescents: Findings From the Hispanic Stress Inventory (Adolescent Version)**

*Richard C. Cervantes, PhD*

**Partnering to Reduce Depression in Diabetes and Other Chronic Diseases**

*Javier Iribarren, MSW, PsyD; Roberto Belloso, MPh and Rita Juarequi, MD*

**Bureau of Primary Health Care: The Health Center Program**

*Sonsy Fermin, CDR and Israel Garcia*

**Psicoterapia en Grupo: Sus Principios Basicos y Su Utilidad Trabajando con Chicanos y Latinos (Spanish Session)**

*Regina Armas, PhD, CGP and Carlos Canales, PsyD, CGP*

### CONFERENCE

**September 15, 2011 – Thursday**

Registration begins at 7:00 a.m.

Conference 8:00 a.m. - 5:15 p.m.

**Larry Gasco, PhD - LBHI Board Member - Opening Comments**

#### Principal Speaker

**Westley Clark, MD, JD, MPH, CAS, FASAM**

Director of the Center for Substance Abuse Treatment (SAMHSA)

**“National Substance Abuse Services for Latinos”**

#### Concurrent Workshops

**Evidence Based Treatments for Latinos with Schizophrenia**

*Alex Kopelowicz, MD*

**Preventing Child Maltreatment in High Risk Latino Communities: Model Adaptation, Implementation and Lessons Learned**

*Lana O. Beasley, PhD and Jane Silovsky, PhD*

**U.S. Mexico Border: Bridging the Gap Between Drug Supply Reduction Strategies and Drug Demand Reduction Strategies to Build Healthy Latino Communities**

*Chilo Madrid, PhD, LCDC, MAC, CCJAP and Guillermo Valenzuela, BA*

**Group Psychotherapy: Its Basic Principles and Usefulness in Working with Chicanos and Latinos**

*Regina Armas, PhD and Carlos Canales, PsyD*

**Treating Trauma Within a Cultural/Social Latino Context Via Learned Confidence Therapy**

*Jose Cardenas, PsyD*

**¿Cómo Utilizar Los Valores Culturales en Familias Latinas Durante Las Sesiones en TF-CBT? (Spanish Session)**

*Lisette Rivas-Hermina, MS*

#### Lunch on your own

#### Concurrent Workshops

**Exercising Community Collaboration, Sustainability and Leadership to Impact the New Generation of Youth and Promote Community Interdependence**

*Wenli Jen, EdD*

**Clinical Profiles of Latina Teens Who Attempt Suicide: Looking at Lethality, Behaviors, and Psychiatric Diagnoses**

*Carolina Hausmann-Stabile, MA, LMSW*

**Latina Transgender Attitude and Perception Towards Law Enforcement**

*Alejandrina Jurado, MSW*

**Creative Strategies for Increasing Interest and Awareness of Behavioral Health Professions Among Latino Youth: An Overview and Interactive Dialogue**

*Henry Acosta, MA, MSW, LSW*

**The State of Aging and Health Among Older Latinos in Los Angeles**

*Laura Trejo, MSG, MPA*

**Consecuencias de salud por eventos traumáticos y estrategias de manejo entre mujeres hispanas que utilizan drogas**

*(Spanish Session)*

*Ibis S. Carrión-González, PsyD and Miguel Cruz, MS*

"We cannot seek achievement for ourselves and forget about progress and prosperity for our community... Our ambitions must be broad enough to include the aspirations and needs of others, for their sakes and for our own."

**Cesar E. Chavez**

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### Networking

#### Concurrent Workshops

##### **Mental Health Promotion in the Latino Community: Bienvenido Program**

*Gilberto Pérez, MSW and Virginia Rondero-Hernández, PhD*

##### **Culturally-Modified Trauma Informed Treatment for Latino Youth and Families**

*Michael DeArellano, PhD; Simone Barr, PhD and Cristina Maria López, PhD*

##### **What Does the Mental Health Services Act's Vision for a Culturally Competent Workforce Mean?**

*Jesse Herrera, LCSW, Michelle O'Neal, MPA; Liz Miles, MSW and Adrienne Shilton-Panel Moderator, MPPA*

##### **Addressing the Nation's Behavioral Health Workforce Crisis for Latinos**

*Henry Acosta, MA, MSW, LSW and Gustavo Loera, EdD*

##### **Using Cognitive Behavioral Therapy to Treat Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder in an Immigrant Mexican Female: A Case Study Report**

*Raquel Halfond, MA; Stephanie Wolf, MS, JD and Rosalie Corona, PhD*

##### **Closing the Addiction Treatment Gap Alliance in Puerto Rico: A Multisectorial Approach to a Complex Health Problem**

*Angel Gonzalez, MD, FASAM and Glorimar Caraballo Correa, MS*

*Pandillas Hispanas/Latinas en EE.UU. (Spanish Session)*

*Victor Flores, MC, LAC and Lecroy Rhyanes, Jr, MFA*

### CONFERENCE

**September 16, 2011 – Friday**

Registration begins at 7:00 a.m.  
Conference 8:00 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

**Alex Kopelowicz, MD - LBHI President - Opening Comments**

#### Principal Speaker

**Teresa Chapa, PhD**

Senior Policy Advisor, Mental Health Office of Minority Health

**"Elimination of Behavioral Health Disparities for Latinos: A Plan for Improving Overall Care and Achieving Health Equity...Or Steps Towards Achieving Equity"**

### Networking

#### Concurrent Workshops

##### **Lost in Translation, Improving Access: Removing Language Barriers**

*Lidia Gamulin, LCSW; Luis A. Tovar, MPA and Lourdes Campbell*

##### **School Violence: Managing the Threat**

*Tony Beliz, PhD and Maria Luz Martinez, MSW*

##### **Transition to Manhood Through Neuroplasticity and Mindful Ritual Circuitry: The Jovenes Integral Youth (JIY) Program**

*Juan Garcia, PhD, LMFT and Cheryl Chancellor-Freeland, PhD*

##### **Assessing the Cultural Sensitivity of EBPs with Latinos in a Community Mental Health Clinic**

*Veronica Chavez, PsyD, Teresa Celada, PhD and Danusia Nedilskyj, PhD*

##### **Approaches in Mental Health: Movement-Expression to Explore Otherness in Latinos(as) While Holding the Diverse Paradox**

*Rosa Granadillo-Schwentker, PhD, RDMT*

##### **La Alianza Para Reducir la Insuficiencia de Tratamiento de Adicción en Puerto Rico: Aportación Intersectorial Para Abordar Un Problema Complejo**

*Angel Gonzalez, MD, FASAM and Glorimar Caraballo Correa, PhD, MS*

### Hosted Lunch, Awards and Closing Remarks

**Alex Kopelowicz, MD - LBHI President**

**HONOREE: Richard Zaldivar**

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**Registration Form**

**Participant Information**

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Full Name Print clearly

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E-mail (requested for registration confirmation)

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☐ LPT ☐ CAADAC Other Specify \_\_\_\_\_

### Registration Fees

3 Day Conference September 14-16 \$200.00  
OR

**Daily Attendance - check date(s) (2 maximum)**

☐ Wednesday, September 14 \$75.00  
☐ Thursday, September 15 \$75.00  
☐ Friday, September 16 \$75.00

Total: \$

Complimentary continental breakfast each day plus lunch on Friday

### Payment Information

☐ Check # \_\_\_\_\_ Payable to LBHI  
☐ VISA ☐ Master Card ☐ Discover

Credit Card # Exp. Date 3-Digit Code

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Written request for refunds must be postmarked by September 1, 2011.  
A \$25 administrative fee will be assessed.  
No refund requests will be honored after September 1, 2011.

**On-Line Registration available on website: [www.lbhi.org](http://www.lbhi.org)**

Dear Friends,

The 17<sup>th</sup> annual conference program offers some 40 workshops and 4 plenary sessions. The workshops cover life span issues and various aspects of Latino mental health, substance abuse, health and related topics. The conference features national and well known presenters specializing in Latino services, research, training and advocacy. This is the premier Latino behavioral health conference in the country and is a must for individuals and agencies involved in serving the Latino community.

Issues covered during the three day conference pertain to practitioners, administrators, researchers, educators, family members, consumers, and other Latino stakeholders. Additionally, the conference affords networking opportunities with professionals, paraprofessionals, family members and others from across the country.

Join us in honoring the outstanding contributions of Mr. Richard Zaldivar, director of The Wall Las Memorias Project. Mr. Zaldivar has been at the forefront of numerous Latino community issues including HIV, Alcoholism, Substance Abuse, and Advocacy of Latino rights.

Register now!! We look forward to meeting you during this most important conference.

Sinceramente,

Ambrose Rodriguez

### Conference Goals

1. **Disseminate cultural competence information on Latino Behavioral Health. This information is based in practice and science.**
2. **Promote the dialogue between consumers, family members and providers of service and researchers in Latino Behavioral Health.**

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- California Association of Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Counselors, Provider No.: 2C-01-465-2013
- California Board of Behavioral Science, Provider No.: PCE2166

Latino Behavioral Health Institute is also approved by the California Board of Registered Nursing, Provider No.: CEP13387 for 12 contact hours.

### 2011 HONOREE



Richard Zaldivar is the founder and executive director of The Wall Las Memorias Project, a nonprofit organization dedicated to promoting wellness and preventing illness among Latino populations affected by HIV/AIDS. Combining HIV/AIDS education and prevention, sensitivity to the spiritual needs and religious beliefs of its clients and supporters, and a commitment to social justice, The Wall under Zaldivar's leadership has been in the forefront of the fight against HIV/AIDS in Los Angeles and beyond.

As executive director, he oversees programs that reach out to Latino populations in the Los Angeles area, including men who are gay, bisexual and MSM, communities of faith and the general public. The Wall Las Memorias Project is noted for several highly visible endeavors, including construction of the nation's first publicly funded AIDS monument in the U.S., hosting of Strike Out AIDS, the first-ever AIDS awareness day at Dodger Stadium, and leadership in the fight against crystal methamphetamine use.

A native of Los Angeles, Zaldivar began his career in public service at the age of 17 when, as president of a local youth group, he organized community meetings to help youth learn more about issues such as substance abuse, develop leadership skills and get involved in their community. He went on to work in the office of legendary City Councilman Art Snyder as a field deputy, carrying on that tradition of community service for many years. It was there that he led and coordinated the effort to save Cathedral High School from closure and demolition.

He later served as a community liaison for then Los Angeles City Attorney James K. Hahn. At the same time, he organized youth and senior citizen support groups, and co-produced a local radio talk show. In recognition of his leadership skills, he was elected as one of the youngest appointees to the National Democratic Convention Platform Committee in 1980, participating in the Latin America Foreign Policy subcommittee.

It was his vision and singular voice that organized and led a community to fight city hall and prejudice to construct the nation's first publicly-privately funded AIDS monument.

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**Room Reservations** A block of rooms have been reserved for LBHI attendees at a discount rate.

Rooms rate is \$110 + tax. Deadline to receive this special rate is August 24, 2011

**Parking:** Daily conference parking rates for attendees are currently \$12.00 per car.

There is no self-parking. Parking also available at the Ernst & Young parking lot across street for \$9.

